

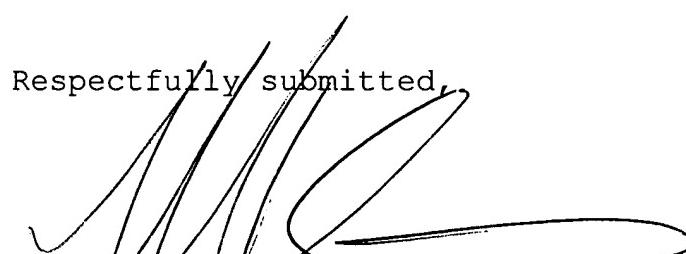
REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The claims were amended to correct the dependency.

Reconsideration of the AMENDMENT filed June 15, 2005, is respectfully requested. In the final rejection dated April 21, 2005, claims 1, 2, 5 and 21 were rejected and claims 3, 4, 6 and 7 were objected to as being dependent on a rejected base claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form, including the limitations of the base claim. At the time, claim 3 restricted the diuretic to amiloride. Claim 3 depended from claim 2 which in turn depended from claim 1. Therefore, claims 3, 2 and 1 were combined into claim 2 as suggested by the Examiner for allowable subject matter. It is therefore submitted that the amendment above avoids all of the grounds of rejection of record.

Entry of this AMENDMENT and allowance of the application are respectfully requested.

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